

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2611  
PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Takahiro KIMOTO

Appln. No.: 10/563,618

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For: MOVING PICTURE ENCODING METHOD, MOVING PICTURE DECODING  
METHOD, MOVING PICTURE ENCODING DEVICE, MOVING PICTURE  
DECODING DEVICE, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 25, 2011, please consider the remarks as  
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